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EVALUATION FORM FOR  
EXEMPTION MODIFICATIONS

EXEMPTION NUMBER/REVISION: E-12122, Rev.3  
APPLICANT: Atlantic Research Corp. Automotive  
Products Group  
APPLICATION DATE: January 15, 2001, February 21, 2001  
APPLICATION NUMBER: 39664 39880

EXEMPTION MODIFICATION REQUEST: To allow a welded closure on the shell of the cylinder (in close proximity of the head to shell intersection) to facilitate filling and mounting, and to add an additional hazardous material, as identified as, Airbag inflators, compressed gas, 2.2, UN3353.

JUSTIFICATION FOR ACTION: Third party testing has shown that burst pressure and failure mode of new design remains relatively unchanged to that of original design. The additional hazardous material does not pose any foreseen additional safety risk to the packaging authorized under the exemption.

REVISIONS MADE TO PARAGRAPH(S): 4, 5, 6, 7.a.(1), 7.a.(5) & 7.b.(1) and 7.c Also reformat paragraph 2.4.7 to agree with similar exemptions

PROJECT OFFICER: Stanley Staniszewski DATE: 6/25/01 *SS 1/2/01*  
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